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PATENT
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of:

CHAOJUN, DENG

Application No.: 09/827,127

Filed: April 5, 2001

For: SMOOTH CAPACITY
EXPANSION METHOD AND SYSTEM
FOR DATA COMMUNICATION
PRODUCTS

Customer No.: 20350

Confirmation No. 4908

Examiner: MURPHY, RHONDA

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 25, 2006, please enter the following amendments and remarks:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.

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